Structural Competency & Latino Health in Upstate NY
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A structurally competent approach to Latino and Latina health requires working with community
groups that are already advocating for health, and recognizing the differences among
communities in different parts of the state. In this webinar, two representatives from community-
based nonprofit organizations in upstate New York will describe the barriers to health and
healthcare that upstate Latinos and Latinas face in their everyday lives, and the approaches
they are using to overcome them. Participants will gain an understanding of the communities
these two organizations serve, and come away with ideas for how they might collaborate with
local health advocates.

Learning Objectives
After watching this webinar participants will be able to:

- Identify the main health issues and barriers confronted by Latinos in the Amsterdam and
  Rochester areas of upstate New York.
- Describe some of the efforts and collaborations that community organizations have
  undertaken to improve the health of Latinos in upstate New York.
- Recommend ways to work with key community agencies to address barriers to health in
  your practice/agency

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